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Torturers List

We went through all our files in Rio (including previous years) and fished out the names of persons mentioned in news stories as having been torturers or associated with torture. This list is for internal use only, of course, because it consists of unverified accusations and old news clippings. Nonetheless, we thought it would be useful simply as a cross-checking device for the future.

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TORTURERS LIST

Alphabetical by First Surname

Abbreviations Used:

CISA - Air Force Intelligence Center
DVS - Delegacia de Vigilancia Social
CPOR - Centro de Preparações dos Oficiais da Reserva
CENIMAR - Navy Intelligence Center. Linked with Ilha das Flores Prison
PM - Policia Militar
PE - Policia do Exercito
ICJ - International Commission of Jurists

A.

1. Lt. Col. Abilio Alcântara - (Code name: Dr. Pascoal)
Air Force attached to CISA (Air Force Intelligence)
and DOI in Rio 1972
2. Adão - Investigator attached to DVS in Belo Horizonte
January 1969
3. Cpl. Aires - Army. Attached to CPOR Belo Horizonte
January 1969
4. Capt. Albernaz - Operação Bandeirantes. São Paulo
February 1970. Named by Frei Tito de Alencar Lima
5. Maj. Enio de Albuquerque de Lacerda - Commander of PE of
the I Army. August 1969
6. Dr. Alfredo - Code name of a torturer at CENIMAR, Rio
December 1969
7. Capt. Almeida - Army. Attached to CPOR Belo Horizonte
January 1969
8. Sgt. Álvaro - Code name of torturer at CENIMAR, Rio
December 1969
9. Maj. Alcyr Amorim Cintra Vidal - Army. Rio de Janeiro 1969
10. Sgt. Andrade - Army. PE of I Army (Rio) August 1969
Also member of Death Squad "Scuderie Le Coq"

11. Anésio - PM attached to DVS Belo Horizonte, January 1969
12. Sgt. Antunes - Rio de Janeiro, July 1970. Named in ICJ Report
13. José Aparecido - PM attached to DVS Belo Horizonte January 1969
14. Sgt. Averno - Army attached to CPOR, Belo Horizonte
January 1969
15. Col. Otávio Aguiar de Medeiros - Army Commander CPOR
Belo Horizonte January 1969

B.

1. Maj. Bismark Baracuhny Amancio Ramalho - Army, Rio 1969.
Named by Otto J. Paulino
2. Capt. Lucio Barroso - (Code name Dr. Celso) Air Force.
Attached to CISA and DOI, Rio, May 1972. Named
by Polari.
3. Pvt. Alberto Carlos Bertalozi - PM. Accused of beating
to death prisoners at Ilha Grande Prison, RJ
July 4, 1975 (Jornal Brasil)
4. Bicalho - PM. Attached to DVS Belo Horizonte January 1969
5. Mário Borges - (Code name Col. Bob) DOPS attached to DOI
Rio. May 1972. Named by Polari
6. Dr. Breno - Code name of torturer at CENIMAR and Ilha d'as
Flores prison, Rio. December 1969
7. Brig. Burnier - Commander of CISA, Rio 1972. Named by Polari.

C.

1. José do Carmo - PM attached to DVS, Belo Horizonte January 1969
2. Capt. João Luiz Cavalaria - Army, PE, I Army August 1969.
Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
3. Dr. Claudio - Code name of torturer at CENIMAR and Ilha d'as
Flores prison, RJ, December 1969
4. Sgt. Cleber - Army. Attached to CPOR, Belo Horizonte, Jan. 1969
5. Lt. Correia Lima - Attached to PM barracks Barão de Mesquita,
RJ. Named in ICJ report of July 1970
6. Sgt. Costa - Army. Belo Horizonte. June 1969

D.

1. Brig. Carlos Afonso Dellamora - Air Force, CISA, Rio 1972. Mentioned by Polari.
2. Lt. Delmenezzi - Army. Attached to CPOR, Belo Horizonte January 1969
3. Maj. Demiurgo - Rio, July 1970. Named in ICJ report.
4. Col. Drumond - PM. Belo Horizonte June 1969
5. Lt. Roberto Augusto de Mattos Duque Estrada - Army, Rio de Janeiro 1969-1970. Named by Otto J. Paulino and in ICJ report.

E.

1. A. P. J. Eduardo - (Code name Norminha) DOPS attached to DOI Rio. May 1972. Named by Polari.

F.

1. Cpl. Ferreira - PM attached to DVS, Belo Horizonte Jan. 1969
2. Col. Adyr Fiuza de Castro - Army attached to DOI, RJ. May 1972. Named by Polari
3. Maj. Francisco Fontelle - Army. Rio de Janeiro 1969-1970. Named by Otto J. Paulino and ICJ report.
4. Lt. Franklin - PM, Belo Horizonte June 1969
5. Pvt. Vincente Freire - PM. Accused of beating to death prisoners at Ilha Grande, RJ July 4, 1975 (Jornal Brasil)
6. Capt. Friedman - (Code name Nagib) Attached to DOI, Rio 1972. Accused by Polari.

G.

1. Lt. Garces - Rio, 1970. Identified in ICJ report.
2. Geraldo - PM attached to DVS, Belo Horizonte, January 1969
3. Cpl. Gil - Rio, 1970. Identified in ICJ report.
4. Cpl. Gilberto - Army, PE of I Army, Rio August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad. Possibly same person as previous entry (No. 3).

G. (Cont.)

5. Capt. Gomes Carneiro - Army. Belo Horizonte, June 1969.
6. Jair Gonçalves da Mota - (Code name Capitão) DOPS attached to DOI, Rio 1972. Named by Polari.
7. Sgt. Guedes dos Santos - PM Curitiba. January 1976.
8. Capt. Guimarães - Army. PE of I Army, Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
9. Capt. Guimarães - Operação Bandeirantes, February 1970.

H.

1. Lt. Haylton - Army, PE I Army, Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
2. Col. Hélos - PM. Commander of the DI (Intelligence Detachment?) Belo Horizonte, June 1969
3. Capt. Homero - Operação Bandeirantes, February 1970. Named by Frei Tito de Alencar Lima.
4. Ariosvaldo Hora - PM, DVS Belo Horizonte, January 1969

I.

1. Col. Ibiapina - Pernambuco 1964
2. Capt. Pedro Ivo - PM, Belo Horizonte 1969. Named in a prisoner report which was then handed on to Jack Anderson.

J.

1. Capt. Jesu - PM, Belo Horizonte, June 1969
2. Joel - PM, DVS, Belo Horizonte, January 1969

K.

L.

1. Capt. Jofre Lacerda - Army, Belo Horizonte, June 1969. Mentioned in a prisoner's report and in Jack Anderson column September 28, 1970.

L. (Cont.)

2. Capt. Leão - Rio, July 1970. Mentioned in ICJ report.

M.

1. Lt. Machado - PM, Belo Horizonte, June 1969
2. Sgt. Leo Machado - PM, Belo Horizonte, June 1969. Also named in Jack Anderson column of September 28, 1970.
3. Lt. Magalhães - Rio, July 1970, named in ICJ report.
4. Lt. Marcelo - Army, Belo Horizonte, June 1969.
5. Márcio - PM, DVS Belo Horizonte, January 1969.
6. Pvt. Marcolino - Army, PE of I Army, Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
7. Capt. Maurício - Operação Bandeirantes, February 1970. Named by Father Tito de Alencar Lima.
8. Cpl. Mendonça - Army, PE of I Army. Rio, August 1969. Also cited as member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
9. Thacir Menezes Sia - Delegado, DVS, Belo Horizonte, Jan. 1969
10. Col. Meziat - Army, G-2 of IV Army, Recife, October 1974. Named by Fred Morris.
11. Commander Mike - (Code Name) Torturer at CENIMAR and Ilha das Flores prison, Rio, December 1969
12. Luis Miranda Filho - Recife, October 1974. Named by Fred Morris.
13. Sgt. Montes - Army, PE of I Army, Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
14. Capt. Ismar Moura Romariz - PM, Curitiba, January 1976.
15. Lt. Col. Muniz - (Code name Dr. Luiz) CISA attached to DOI, Rio, May 1972. Named by Polari.
16. Cdr. Clemente José Monteiro Filho - Commander of Ilha das Flores prison. Mentioned in prisoners' report.

N.

1. Lt. Col. Ney - PM, Commander of PM barracks Barão de Mesquita, Rio, July 1970. Named in ICJ report.

O.

1. Sgt. Oliveira - Army, PE of I Army, Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
2. José Raimundo de Oliveira - PM attached to DVS, Belo Horizonte, January 1969.

P.

1. Lt. (or Capt.) Pádua - PM, Belo Horizonte, 1969. Named in prisoners' report and Jack Anderson column, September 28, 1970.
2. Maj. Pana - (Code name Dr. Pedro Paulo) CISA attached to DOI, Rio, May 1972. Named by Polari.
3. Afonso Paulino - SNI agent (?) Belo Horizonte. Worked with military. January 1969.
4. Dr. Paulo - DOI, São Paulo, October 1975, mentioned by Rodolfo Konder. Japanese, 40ish, thin, 1.70 meters tall.
5. Pvt. Robson Luis Peçanha - PM. Accused of beating to death two prisoners at Ilha Grande, RJ. July 4, 1975 (Jornal Brasil)
6. Sgt. Aldir Penedo - PM. Accused of same crime as above.
7. Henrique Pereira da Silva Pinto - DOPS, Pernambuco, 1969. Accused of torture murder of Padre Antônio Henrique. See O Estado 29 Jan. 1975.
8. José Pereira - Investigator, Dept. de Furtos & Roubos, Belo Horizonte. Attached to DVS January 1969.
9. 2º Lt. Válder Periera da Costa - PM. Accused of beating to death 2 prisoners at Ilha Grande RJ July 4, 1975
10. Pionoro - PM. Attached to DVS, Belo Horizonte, January 1969
11. Capt. Alfredo Poeck - (Code names Mike and Dr. Roberto) CENIMAR attached to DOI Rio, May 1972. Named by Polari.

12. Col. Portella - Belo Horizonte 1969. Named in French publication Livre Noir. A nephew of Gen. Jaime Portella.
13. Capt. Portella - Army. Belo Horizonte 1969. Named in prisoners' report and Jack Anderson column September 28, 1970.
14. Cpl. Marco Antonio Povoreli - Army, PE of I Army Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq"
15. Capt. Sebastião G. Paixão - Army, Belo Horizonte, June 1969.
16. Lt. Praxedes - PM, Belo Horizonte, June 1969.

R.

1. Sgt. Rangel - Army, PE of I Army, Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq" death squad.
2. José Reis - Investigator with Dept. of Roubos e Furtos, Belo Horizonte and DVS
3. Lara Rezende - Delegado, Belo Horizonte attached to DVS
4. Luiz Soares da Rocha - Superintendent of St. Police in Minas, attached to DVS
5. Mario Cândido da Rocha - Dept. of Roubos e Furtos, Belo Horizonte, attached to DVS
6. Pvt. Rosa - Army, PE of I Army, Rio, August 1969
7. Sgt. Rossoni - Army, PE of I Army, Rio, August 1969. Also member of "Scuderie Le Coq"
8. Maj. Rubens - PM, Belo Horizonte June 1969. Named in prisoners' report and Jack Anderson column of September 28, 1970.

S.

1. Moacir Salles - Director of DOPS, Pernambuco. Implicated in torture death of Padre Antonio Henrique in 1969 according Estado São Paulo, 29 January 1975.
2. Gen. Siseno Sarmiento - Commander I Army, Rio, July 1970. Named in ICJ report.

3. Haydn Saraiva - Investigator with Dept. de Roubos e Furtos, Belo Horizonte, attached to DVS there 1969.
4. Capt. Schubert - PM, Belo Horizonte, June 1969. Named in prisoners' report and Jack Anderson Sept. 28, 1970.
5. Scoralicz (or Seoralick) - PM, Belo Horizonte, DVS Jan. 1969
6. Pvt. Sérgio - Code name of turturer at CENIMAR and Ilha das Flores prison, RJ, 8 December 1969.
7. Lt. Shihara - PM. Assigned to DOI São Paulo. Accused EO50x1 of beating to death Vladimir Herzog EO50x1 (1975) and Fiel Filho (1976).
8. Cpl. Francisco Roberto da Silva - PM. Jailer at Ilha Grande, RJ, accused of beating to death 2 prisoners, JB July 4, 1975.
9. Pvt. José dos Santos Lopes - PM. Ilha Grande. Accused of same crime as Silva.

T.

1. Maj. Teixeira (Code name Dr. Bruno) - DOI, Rio 1972. Named in Polari letter.
2. Maj. Vincente Teixeira - PM, Belo Horizonte, June 1969. Named in prisoners' statement and Jack Anderson 28 September 1970.
3. Lt. Col. Waldyr Teixeira Goes - Army. Belo Horizonte, June 1969. President of a PM inquerito into subversive activities. Named in prisoners' statement and Jack Anderson 28 Sept. 1970.

U, V, W, X, Y, Z

1. Major Valdir - Commander Operação Bandeirantes, February 1970
2. Aspirant Almir do Vale - PM. Ilha Grande Prison, RJ. Implicated in beating death of 2 prisoners, JB July 4, 1975.
3. Lt. Valle - Rio de Janeiro, July 1970. Named in ICJ report.
4. Vander - PM, Belo Horizonte, DVS, January 1969.
5. Vincente - military (?), Belo Horizonte, January 1969.

Others involved with political prisoners question, but not necessarily identified as responsible for torture.

1. Col. Murilo (or Maurício) Fernando Alexander - Chief of Staff
2nd Division of II Army. Investigating death of
Fiel Filho, 1976.
2. Gen. Samuel Augusto Alves (or Gonçalves) Correa - C. O. of
V Military Region (Parana). 1975.
3. Col. José Barros Paes - Chief G-2, II Army, 1975.
4. Gen. Canavarro Pereira - C.O., II Army, 1970.
5. Altair Casadei - Jailer at DOI - SP at time of Herzog 1975.
6. Gen. Cerqueira Lima - Investigator of Herzog death 1975
7. Col. Osvaldo Colares Novais - In charge of military investigation
into communist activities in Rio. JB 23 June 1975.
8. Gen. Ednardo D'Avila Melo - II Army C.O. 1974-76
9. Gen. Antônio Ferreira Marques - II Army Chief of Staff. Left
with Gen. Ednardo in January 1976.
10. Delegado Wanderley Girão Maia - DOPS - Ceará - Possible
involvement in death of former Catholic community
action worker Opinião 3 October 1975.
11. Maj. José Machado - PM. Ilha Grande prison, RJ - Estado
São Paulo 6/4/75.
12. Pedro Antônio Mira Grancieri - Police investigator attached
to DOI São Paulo at time of Herzog death, JB 20 Dec. 75
13. Joaquim Humberto de Moraes Novais - Delegado Geral, São Paulo
announced suicide attempt by a political prisoner
JB Dec. 18, 1975.
14. Delegado Tácito Pinheiro Machado - Director DEOPS - S:P. at
time of Herzog death.
15. Maj. Válder Ribeiro - In charge of inquerito into PCB activities
in VI Mil. Region (Salvador). Accompanied Dom Avelar
on visit to political prisoners JB 30 July 1975.
16. Lt. Col. Audir Santos Maciel - C.O. of II Army DOI transferred
to Rio after death of Fiel Filho.
17. Maj. Ari da Volta Ferreira - Military judge in trial of
Marco Antônio Coelho.

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